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For: HIGH BURRING, HIGH STRENGTH STEEL SHEET EXCELLENT IN  
SOFTENING RESISTANCE OF WELD HEAT AFFECTED ZONE AND  
METHOD OF PRODUCTION OF SAME

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**AMENDMENT**

S I R:

Reconsideration of the above-identified patent application, as amended, is respectfully requested. The present amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 15, 2008. A petition for an extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action accompanies this amendment.